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SUBJECT: PRESS TREATMENT OF SEVENTH SESSION OPENING AND
CONFERENCE PRESIDENCY

1. INSIDE STORIES IN NYT, WP AND WSJ OF MARCH 29 HIGHLIGHT
DISPUTE OVER CONFERENCE PRESIDENCY. WP AND WSJ IDENTIFY
PROBLEM AS OPPOSITION TO AMERASINGHE FROM LATIN AMERICAN
COASTAL STATES THAT CONTEND HE IS SYMPATHETIC TO LL/GDS.
WP REPORTS SPECULATION THAT NEW PRESIDENT MIGHT COME FROM
FIJI OR SINGAPORE. ACCORDING TO WSJ, QTE OPINION IS
SPREADING THAT THE ISSUES INVOLVED ARE BOTH TOO NUMEROUS
AND TOO COMPLEX TO BE SETTLED BY A CONFERENCE OF SUCH SIZE
AND THAT ANOTHER FRAMEWORK IS NEEDED. UNQTE.

2. CSM EDITORIAL OF MARCH 28 CITES POSSIBLE DISRUPTIVE
IMPACT OF US DEEP SEABED MINING LEGISLATION: QTE: THERE
SHOULD BE A ROLE FOR PRIVATE COMPANIES AS WELL AS GOVERN-
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MENTS, BUT THIS SHOULD BE WORKED OUT WITHOUT THE INTER-
FERENCE OF US LEGISLATION. UNQTE.

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